Act 816 of the 1989 Regular Session.

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"AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE EXPIRATION DATE OF ACT 744 OF 1987 WHICH ESTABLISHED AN ADDITIONAL FILING FEE FOR CIVIL ACTIONS IN MUNICIPAL COURT FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR THE JUDGES AND CLERKS OF MUNICIPAL COURTS."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Act 744 of 1987 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. In addition to all other fees and costs authorized by law, each municipal court clerk shall collect a filing fee of twenty-five cents (25_) for each civil action filed in municipal court, and the clerk shall transmit the fees to the Judicial Department to be deposited in the State Treasury as special revenues credited to the "Municipal Court Judge and Municipal Court Clerk Education Fund" which is hereby created on the books of the State Treasurer, the State Auditor, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State. The Executive Secretary of the State Judicial Department shall be the disbursing officer for such funds, and shall use those funds to provide continuing education opportunities, within the State of Arkansas, to municipal judges and municipal court clerks."

SECTION 2. Section 2 of Act 744 of 1987 is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

APPROVED: March 21, 1989